

25 March 1981

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Data Processing

ATTENTION: Executive Officer

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[REDACTED]  
Deputy Director for Processing

SUBJECT: Processing Weekly Report for Week  
Ending 24 March 1981

1. The new Timplex statmux is being tested in Ruffing Center. Four terminals have been connected and are being used to load test the unit.

2. The Ruffing Center had a good week, although there were a number of VM problems that resulted in loss of service for short periods. Problems connected with the new Multiprocessor (MP) caused outages Wednesday and Monday, and Thursday problems with temporary spool space also caused VM to be interrupted. On Thursday, GIMPROD and GIMDEV lost about an hour each at different times--one due mainly to a Comten problem the other to IBM 168-3 SPD software. AEGIS lost over 2 hours Friday when it could not obtain sufficient main storage to permit processing to continue.

3. In the Special Center CAMPROD was down Wednesday for 2 hours due to maintenance block time and to problems encountered in bringing a Comten online. TPNIPS lost 100 minutes Thursday due toabend which was undetected for more than an hour. Forty minutes was lost to DDO Monday when a Comten failed. Although all applications had some problems during the week, availability was generally good. Fifteen 6650 Telex drives completed acceptance testing during the week.

4. The 3033 MP was brought online for the VM service on Monday, 23 March. Although some minor problems were encountered, response to a load of up to 300 users was very good. The 470/V8 remains idle to provide immediate VM backup support. [REDACTED] 25X1

5. RAMIS Release 2.0.03 went into production on VM, Batch, and TSO, on 23 March. No problems have been encountered to date. [REDACTED] 25X1

6. During the past week SPD provided onsite technical support to ISSG for security evaluation and approval of several West Coast contractors. [REDACTED] 25X1

25X1 7. A communications problem resulted in cables for OGSR at Ames Building being printed in OCO at Headquarters. No cables were lost, but a delay in the printing of the cables of about 2 hours did occur. [REDACTED]

8. GIMS Release 4.2E was delivered to GIMDEV and GIMPROD on 20 March. This release fixed the bugs in the CAM software and included performance enhancements for the Delta Data 7260 terminals. This release will be delivered to DDOGIMS and CAMPROD within a week. [REDACTED] 25X1

25X1 9. The IV Phase system in GE72 was down a total of 8 hours during the week due to software changes that were put on the system on 17 March. The changes were not fully tested and it took various times during the rest of the week to correct. The system is now stable and fully operational, however, a meeting is being requested between ED, PD and IV Phase to have IV Phase explain why it took so long to correct and why we have no documentation on the changes that were made. [REDACTED]

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